Abstract

[[The]] An alkoxylate mixture comprises containing 0.1 to 99.9% by weight of (i) at least one alkoxylate of the formula [[(I)]] $C_nH_{2n+1}O(A)_x(B)_yH$ [[(I)]] where A is ethyleneoxy, B is C_3-C_{10}-alkyleneoxy or mixtures thereof, where groups A and B may be present randomly distributed, alternately or in the form of two or more blocks in any order, n is an integer in the range from 8 to 11, x is a number in the range from 1 to 20, y is a number in the range from 0 to 10, and (ii) 0.1 to 99.9% by weight of at least one alkoxylate of the formula [[(II)]] $C_mH_{2m+1}O(A)_v(B)_wH$ (II) where A is ethyleneoxy, B is C_3-C_{10}-alkyleneoxy or mixtures thereof, where groups A and B may be present randomly distributed, alternately or in the form of two or more blocks in any order, m is an integer in the range from 12 to 24, v is a number in the range from 1 to 50, w is a number in the range from 0 to 10.